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Public Service Commission  
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Attention: Docketing

Dear Commission:

I write comments herein for posting concerning docket 2008-251-E filed by Progress Energy.

My understanding is this company is pressing for a residential rate increase for electricity service under the docket filed. I own a property in Marion County which is served by them. Within the last year or so they changed the electric meter on that residence to a digital unit and I contend my billing is higher per killowatt since they made that installation. Furthermore, this new request cited above suggests they are seeking a greater return per killowatt from residential customers which I object greatly to because their charge is all ready nearly double per killowatt from current charges by Santee Cooper.

I would appreciate the commission's consideration not to grant any increase based on the for-going information. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Andrew Welden